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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR §1.313(c)(2) to withdraw from issue the referenced application, to allow time for consideration of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for consideration of a previously submitted Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) and PTO-1449 form signed by applicant's attorney on August 29, 2006 and mailed on August 31, 2006.

Based on the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that applicant has shown good and sufficient reason why withdrawal of the application from issue is necessary.

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Please charge fee for Petition to Withdraw under 37 CFR § 1.313(c)(2) and to the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortages in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, or credit any overages to Deposit Account No. 50-1302.

> Respectfully submitted, HICKMAN PALERMO TRUONG & BECKER LLP

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